BEFORE THE IDAHO PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

| IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF |) | |
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| SPIRIT LAKE EAST WATER COMPANY |) | CASE NO. SPL-W-04-1 |
| REQUESTING AUTHORITY TO INCREASE |) | |
| ITS HOOK UP FEES FOR WATER SERVICE |) | ORDER NO. 29493 |
| |) | |

On March 22, 2004, the Commission issued a Notice of Application and Notice of Modified Procedure in this case. Order No. 29451. In that Order, the Commission directed the Company to file any reply comments on or before May 7, 2004. *Id.* at 2. On May 6, 2004, Spirit Lake East filed a timely request for extension of time to file written reply comments. The Company states the reason for the extension of time is to allow for written confirmation of firm contract prices for the installation of water services as described on page 5 of the Staff Comments. Despite numerous requests, the Company states, it has not received the written confirmation from the contractor. For these reasons the Company requests an extension to file its reply comments on or before May 21, 2004. Staff has no objection to the extension of the written reply comment deadline.

Based on the foregoing the Commission grants Spirit Lake East Water Company's request.

ORDER

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Spirit Lake East Water Company's request for an extension of time to file written reply comments is granted. The Company shall file its reply comments on or before May 21, 2004.

DONE by Order of the Idaho Public Utilities Commission at Boise, Idaho this // **
day of May 2004.

PAUL KJELLANDER, PRESIDENT

MARSHA H. SMITH, COMMISSIONER

DENNIS S. HANSEN, COMMISSIONER

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